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1926-7

File No. 49-25

Previous References (Med Prem)

Serial Nos. 1, 4, 49, 69, 72, 75, 80, 82, 83, 86,

Later References

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" 69-31 Vs 1-4.
L.B. 130-31 (576

General and Revenue Secretariat.

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Med 37-36 & 1-4
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" 286-40, 41.1-2.
" 185-41 55 1-8.

Serial Nos. Three

Part B for May 1927

SUBJECT

Facilities to medical practitioners to settle down in rural areas.

Do The S of S
The enclosed
order W.O. G 11573-7 & 2/5/27 - the post at Med Dept No
passing orders & to Govt
Facilities ——

The Secy R.A.
The Chiefs of Staffs
The W.C. of Lon

M Govt Dept No & 19/5/27

STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE KARNATAKA AYURVEDA SAMMELANA

Bangalore.

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
7254L
14 MAY 1925
LOCAL SELF GOVT. BRANCH

RESOLUTIONS.

Med 15-24-31

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XI. That the Standing Committee is of opinion that the subsidiary system of medical relief in rural areas followed by Madras Government is detrimental to the progress of Ayurveda and that Ayurvedic Free Dispensaries started instead will be more Economic and popular.

Sd/- Dr. A. Lakshmipati, B.A., MxBxC
M.B.C.M.

To L.S.G. Branch - with compts

12.5.25

Subs for orders. There is a representation from certain R.A. Members of the Kadur Dt. praying for the introduction of the system of affording some aid to Private Medical Practitioners to settle down in villages and the subject is being separately considered vide Dno 7038, Med 47-24-20

Sd. 16.5.25

Members may kindly note the contents. File

Sd. 22.5.25

Mr may perhaps be
considered as going with the proposal,
as he [illegible] his [illegible]
of the [illegible] hinder.

L. 2 Berg

28/5/75.

- 5. APR. 1925

FORM WD 1908—GPB—1,000—12-4-24

Memorandum of Subjects proposed for discussion in the...Budget.....

Session of the Representative Assembly of the.....Kadur ..... District.

For the.....Budget.....Session of.....June ..... 1925.

No. VIII.

Subject

Encouragement to private Medical Practitioners.

L.S.G.

Name of Member proposing

Messrs.S.Honnappiah and Ramappa Gowda, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of Representation.

Recd 4-7-24

1) The villagers in the rural parts of the State are badly in need of medical aid. It is therefore requested that encouragement may be given to private Medical Practitioners to settle in villages and rendering medical relief to the people, if it is not possible to open sufficient number of dispensaries for the present.

Previous references relating to the subject.

Remarks by the Deputy Commissioner.

This is being done as far as possible by the Government and

Secretariat.

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2) Subd for orders. The representation is somewhat indefinite and if it is stated what exactly is required to be done, the question can be considered in detail. At present there is no G.O. objection to any Medl practnr 6/5/25. carrying on his profession anywhere.

3) No details are given as to the sanctioned establishment required. In certain cases Medical practitioners can set up practice whenever they want. It is the people that should encourage them. By sending their address and paying therefor liberally. & make it worth while for any Medical Man to remain in the place.

L. L. Dec)

8/5.

II nd

4) Already not up to date! See Madras Manl Pom. Madras G.O. 2 Dec 1924 Sect a copy of G.O. in Wh. some practitioners are supposed to have been appointed. Ascertain from such places what R.A. income is arising at

11/5/25

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6 With reference to the orders of the Secretary of Council as per queries 4 above, Kind reference is invited to pages 717 to 720, and 994-997 of the Supreme Blue Book and Publicity Journal wherein are published the orders of the Govt of Bombay, respectively, in regard to the 'Epidemic' to be paid to Qualified Private Medical Practitioners to settle claims in Villages. Flag J Flag S.

And proceedings

13/5/25 (Members)

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Please ~~send the file~~ and ~~Draft~~ to Secretary Syron for submission his opinion re taking measures in conjunction with the Bombay & Madras Schemes immediately (Govt of India ref)

14/5

Alternatively may perhaps be given that the matter is being submitted

14/5

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Issued File No. 47 of 1925

Serial No

First [illegible] reply to Min of Lds Dept. with a view to Counsel's Opn. S.S.

28/1/25

Three typed copies of draft reply are sent herewith.

SG. HMK 15/5/25 15525

To the Asst Sec Estate

Put up draft to S.S. also extra 28/1/25

R.A. & Legal Dept. in the first instance 28/1/25 HMK 16525

Copies taken 16/8/25

To be sent forthwith SG. HMK 18525 16/5/25

28/1/25

H.C.L.D. [illegible]

SG 31/8/25 HMK 31825

Issued no. 1550 of 31/8/25. To B. Mahoney Esq. L.M.G.S.

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT. 16. AUG. 1925 LOCAL SELF GOVT. BRANCH

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT. 31. AUG. 1925 LOCAL SELF GOVT. BRANCH

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Letter No G.C. 3604 dated the 18th October 1925 from the Senior Surgeon in Bombay stating that, for reasons given, he is of opinion that we might watch for some time and see what results are achieved in Bombay & Bombay before taking on our hands a good & workable scheme of our own. Invited helpful suggestions

Issued for orders. Refer orders of 2nd member at Serial 6 of the notes above C.S. [In the Bombay Presidency 14/10/25. the Scheme is not yet put into operation]

14/10/25

Dewan Bahadur K. Ramachandra Rao Saheb

The Senior Surgeon is not in favor of the introduction of the scheme of medical relief in rural areas pursued in Madras & Bombay. ~~for the following reasons~~ hope the scheme is successfully tried in those places for the following reasons

The Constitution of Govt is quite different from that of Bombay or Madras the the medical officers are always in many

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places in the latter and the people there are accustomed to pay for their help whereas it has become difficult to avoid complaints against the regular hospital surgeons from people in outlying places with stalls when they claim fees for work done outside ordinary hours; that the subordinate hospital surgeon will find it difficult to keep the institutions with small subsidy of Rs 30 or 35/- as efficiently as regular dispensaries which might be expected of them by the people & it will be difficult to keep these hospital surgeons out of the temptation of harassing poor villagers in order to supplement their income.

He also considers that the indigenous medical aid has much improved in the State that along with these there will be 30/- most subordinate engaged in first medical relief & with the establishment of 50 more dispensaries in the programme each such institution will serve a population of 14686 and an area of 74 sq miles; that even now the people in Rajore are placed at a better advantage as every subordinate now serves an area of 150 sq miles & 29300 persons against 196 sq miles & 53107 in Mandsaur 157 sq miles & 34137 persons in Bantag. L. L Dees)

Rs 157 60.

3590/21/10

Serial No.

There will be several L.M.Ps without jobs. Why should they not set up as Vaidyas in places where Dist Board or Village Panchayat Sanitary Inspectorships are started? I wish to have G.O.'s further opinion. There are some now.

24/10/25

24/10

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Enquires why some of L.M.P students who are now in their apprentice should not go be asked to set up Vaidyas in places where Dist Board or Village Panchayat Sanitary Inspectorships are started by Govt as far as possible.

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
14 NOV 1925
LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT

Serial No

26 Letter No 9 C 360-3 dated 9 to Secr (9 25 from the Senior Surgeon to Superintending that the District President of the Assam District has agreed to employ qualified L.M.Ps instead of Vaidyans and had promised to send definite proposals in consultation with the Board at their next meeting and that on receipt of this communication he would submit the names for their sanction.

Submitted for orders. If approved further action will be initiated.

25 Refer as desired in para 2 of the note above.

SG 1/12 (2nd Member) 2A 28/12

5782 24/12

1871 2/3

26 4/1 26/12

Secr 24/12

28 1/1/12

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FORM III. WD 1903—GPB—1,000—17-7-25

Memorandum of Resolutions proposed to be moved in the..... Dusserah ..... Session of the Representative Assembly of the ..... Tumkur .....District.

For the.... Dussarah .....Session of..... October 192 6.

Subject	Resolution.
Appointment of a Committee to investigate the question of providing Medical relief in Rural parts of the province.	This assembly recommends to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja that with a view to provide adequate Medical relief in Rural parts in Mysore, a Committee be appointed to enquire into the various steps adopted by other Governments and to report the practical measures calculated to secure adequate Medical facilities to the rural population at an early date.

No. 1

Name of Member Mr. J. Rudrappa, B.A. L.L.B.
Representative Assembly member
Tumkur.

admit
(Sd) RR
21/9

D-O Subs for appl
C.C.
29/9/26
DNSU
29/9/26

For consideration before issue
MS
30/9

For Member

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30/9

Rs 10 Jose
1/10

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4 To The Senior Surgeon

No 93560 dt 2.10.1926

Forwards a copy of the above resolution and calls for his opinion in the matter.

Surgeon Office 8/10/26 Please prepare reply to resolution at once. Comm 8/10/26

Letter No 9 C 160-1 dated the 6th October 1926 from the Senior Surgeon in reply stating for reasons given that there is little need for ~~enquiry into the subject of extension~~ extension of medical relief in rural areas, by any Special Committee as suggested but for orders. A reply as under may perhaps be given at the meeting:—

The question of extending medical relief in rural areas was exhaustively considered by a committee consisting of official & non officials in 1919 and Govt have since

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Flag A

orders on the recommendations of that Committee. Out of the 110 places where new dispensaries were recommended to be opened, such institutions have been opened at 33 places, and this number is being added to year after year. The question of opening new dispensaries depends upon the ~~desire~~ readiness of the local bodies to contribute their quota of the cost of new institutions as far as possible. Where institutions are being opened wherever local bodies come forward with their contributions. Besides, the Govt are considering the question of subsidising Provincial practitioners

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increase them to

to settle down in rural areas, ~~and~~ Before this scheme is sanctioned, ~~the~~ medical aid ~~to the~~ ~~poor will the~~ ~~further~~ ~~extended.~~

will have been further Extended ~~extended to the~~ ~~further~~

C.S. ~~The~~ Govt therefore + Considers that there is no immediate need for the appointment of a Committee as suggested.

C.S.,
10/10

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Gen. Secy.)

The Member will probably be satisfied and withdraw his motion when he hears that this question is under the active consideration of Govt and early orders may be expected

J First Member. 11/10.

X. 9815 Under Govt. give a Qualified L.M.P. bonus of Rs. 50 p.m. to settle down in rural parts. 11/10.

6093 12/10

Secretary

The file.

12/10

File returned by Secretary Medical Dept. C.S. 26/10

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File sent to Secretary Medical Department on 11/10/26. Read back with Secretary Medical Department's U.O. No. 2311 dated 13/10/26

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This resolution was not taken up for consideration at the last R.A. meeting for want of time and according to rule 27 of the rules issued with Govt No 1367-14/26 Cts 100-23-17 dated the 27th Oct 1923, it lapses. But as the question is already under the consideration of Govt and the file is before the Minister, pending orders on the question of finding funds to give effect to the scheme the return of the file will be awaited. if asked

E.S, 9/11/26 MSK 5.11.26

The file has been recently traced & minutes please footnote.

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Resolution No 15 proposed to be moved at the Birthday Session of the Representative Assembly of ~~1926~~ of June 1926 by Mr Muhammad Abdul Khan, Mahomedan Constituency.

1) The question is already under the consideration of Govt and the result of the working of the Scheme in the Madras Presidency is being obtained by the Senior Surgeon. Vide Senior Surgeon's letter dated 26.5.26 (Dogk.) put up below.

2) As advised the mover may be informed of this Govt. Order.

C.S. HK 28526

28/5/26.

1) The Senior Surgeon writes today that he has not yet obtained the report of the working of the Scheme in Madras.

On the part of Govt the mover

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Serial No

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
RECD. ON 1 JUN. 1926
Reg. No. 8784

Subject.
Giving some encouragement, as in Madras, to qualified medical men who will settle down in and set up private practice in mofussil parts of the State.

RR
31/1

Marked as a discussion that the matter is being investigated

28/5

Secy

First member RR 28/5

10208/29/5

29/5

No I think we may try the Scheme in 2 or 3 areas if not more are forthcoming. Much importance attaches to that Dr Lakshmipathi's Contention that the Scheme is ripe for Expansion.

DE 31/5/26.

RR
Dewan. 31/1

28/5

21 Let us first ascertain how the scheme has been working in Madras. S.S. to write to get us the information as soon as possible.

JM 2/6

22 Submit to member with a draft as above.

RR 4/6.

23 Draft as above submitted for orders

MW 4/6

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Some reply has to be sent to the R.A. in re his letter regarding Sardar Ahmed Hussain Khan's resolution on the Simon Com.

S.C.

4/6/26

24 Draft as req'd Dewan's address for appl.

25 The reply to the Resn. may be that the matter is under consideration

26/6/26 | 4/6

Asst Member

27 Draft. appd

4/6/26

4/6.

28 Done draft and keep file ready for being put up when required about 7/6

Draft Reply submitted for initials.

C.S. 29

7/6/26.

To the R.A. Y.C. Legislative Office 30

Being taken & the file returned. The Members would change

7/6

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Subs to be given to the Hon'ble Mr. Ahmed at the time of Interview

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(BUDGET SESSION)

June 1926.

RESOLUTIONS.

31 11. "This Council recommends to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja that in order to afford medical relief to the people in rural areas, the Government be pleased to devise a scheme so as to induce qualified medical practitioners to settle and set up practice in rural parts".

Movers:- Messrs Mahomed Abbas Kahn and C.Paramasivian.

32 The same resolution is proposed to be moved by Mr Syed Abbas Khan at the ~~ens~~ next R.A. mtg. The question is already under the consideration of the Govt and it has been decided to state in reply that the matter is under consideration.
Submd for orders.
C.S.
11/6/26 APK
16.6.26

33 Please note council's resolution & inform accordingly.
11/6

34 Council instruction
"Senior Surgeon".

35 Issued per orders
C.S.
15/6/26

36 Intimated Mr. Syed Abbas
16/6

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37 D/C Sub Snapple
C.S.
15/6/26
mw 16/6
First Member)

37
The Member desires that note for Regts. Nos. 10 & 11 may be got from the Senior Surgeon.
16/6/26.
Senior Surgeon will kindly deal in the matter.
C.S. 16/6/26

38 Issue
mw
17/6

Letter no 32 dated the 22nd June 1926 from the Senior Surgeon enclosing a note on the scheme to be devised to encourage private medical practitioners to settle in rural areas.
41 Subs for information
The First Member of Council has ordered that a note on the subject may be called for.
C.S.
27/6/26

42 Subs for formal
1st member)
mg 27/6

43 D.A. Pursue
Note with Council
vide reference
after Council
dec
28/6

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note placed
in the Council
file.
28/6

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37

D/C/ Sub of pass appl
C.G,
15/6/26 mw 16/6
First Member)

38 Issue
mw
17/6

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The Member desires that note for Resns nos. 10 & 11 may be got from the Senior Surgeon.

Mehta
16/6/26.

Senior Surgeon
passed to the
Registry.
C.G. 16/6/26

Letter no 32 dated the 22nd June 1926 from the Senior Surgeon enclosing preliminary a note on the scheme to be devised to encourage qualified medical practitioners to settle in rural areas.

41 Subd for information
The First Member of Council has ordered that a note on the subject may be called for.
C.G.
27/6/26

42 Subs for perusal
1st member) Reg 27/6

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P.A. Perused
Note with Council
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after (recall
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Case placed
the Council
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~~If adpd~~

46 This resolution was not moved at the Assembly for want of time. If adpd the report promised by the Senior Surgeon in his letter dated the 26th May 1926. (Flag K) will be required.

C.S.
6/7/26

MSK
6/7/26

MW
7/7

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7/7

Vice Member

45 Yes
6/7/26.

46 Please ask the S.S. to expedite the subm. of this report Rig 9/7.

MW
9/2

47
To Public Health

C.S.
10/7/26

MSK
10/7/26

48 Done
MW
12/7

Issued vide 9400 dt 14.7.1926.

Secy A
C.S.
15/7

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12/7/26

held 19-25-19

Budget
General Resolution No. 15.

14. This Assembly recommends to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja that in order to afford medical relief to the people in the rural parts, the Government be pleased to devise a scheme to give sufficient encouragement to qualified medical practitioners who would settle in villages and set up their practice there.

(Mr. Md. Abbas Khan).

The Dewan said that the question was under consideration. The mover was satisfied with the reply and withdrew the resolution.

The Senior Surgeon's proposals are still awaited and reminders are being regularly issued to the offices. As soon as the Senior Surgeon's final reports will be awaited

CS The Sen Surgeon's last reply was on 31-7-26.

7/8/26 MSll

7/8/26.

Govt A CS 1-44/26 MSll 10/8/26

29 Letter No S.C 360-29 dated the 2nd Sept 1926 from the Senior Surgeon to myself furnishing his opinion on the subject of subsidising rural medical practitioners & [illegible] forwarding [illegible]

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of an extract from the Report of the Chiefs in Madras on the same subject.

5½ The Senior Surgeon states that there is no urgent need for the adoption of the proposed measure in the State, and that in case Govt are inclined to give a trial to the system, he would suggest the opening of rural medical institutions in charge of trained medical pupils on Rs 35/- per mensem and a supply of medicines costing Rs 360 per annum.

53 Submitted for orders

C.B.

21/9/26

21/9/26 MSK

54 The scheme may be given a trial in six places and the question of extending its provisions after a year's working.

53 The proposal in the last para of the S.S. letter may be agreed.

Secy. 24/9 RP

Fin. 23/9

56 Not necessary. But we have to fix a number. Six seems too few. & how is fund to be found? Curzon

Secy 24/9

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57 Please put this up on the Monday next. 9520 in the meantime consult the S.S. in the matter

PR 24/9.

58 When is the S.S. expected back from his tour. He seems to absent from Station

PR 28/9

599 Spoke to the S.S. about this matter. His idea is that the experiment may, if Govt think it necessary, be tried on a small scale. He thinks that one suitable place may be selected in each district and a paid Med. Practitioner induced to settle down there and take up private practice on condition of his getting a monthly payment of Rs. 35 and medicines of the value of Rs. 300 per annum. This means an addl. expenditure of

35 × 8 × 12 = 3360

300 × 8 = 2400

5760

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It was not decided however, whether the Med. practitioner should be permitted to charge fees for attendance + medicines or whether he should be required to give them free. Either is open to some disadvantage. In the first case, the condition will be unduly favourable to the practitioner + also Govt will have no means of control. In the latter case, the Med. Practitioner may possibly say that the supply of medicines made by Govt

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is inadequate.

61 The best course appears to be to confine Govt aid to the payment of a bonus of Rs. 35 and let the med. practitioner make his own arrangements about the medicines. The Govt contribution will be payable only as long as at least 100 patients per month are treated. The practitioner will be required to keep the necessary registers and submit them for inspection by Dt. Med. Officer or others when required.

36/15 30/9

62 Perhaps the S.S. may be unofficially consulted

RG 29/9

first-member.

RG 29/9

63 Yes — Let Secretariat see the file as the matter is one of importance.

30/9.

64 Forwarded with compliments to the Senior Surgeon unofficially for favour of remarks.

RG 30/9

I.O. 79/ MD of 30.9.26

RG

Recorder

30/9/26.

30/9

G.O. No. 2
1-10-26

2 - OCT. 1926
G. D. SECTION

I do not think that the payment of a mere bonus of Rs-35/- per mensem, as proposed, will be enough. Most of our passed candidates belong to the poor class and are hardly in a position to command the capital necessary for purchasing the initial stock of medicines.

I therefore propose that each selected candidate may be given Rs.300/- worth of medicines from the Medical Stores during the first year in addition to the allowance of Rs.35/- (additional funds to the required extent being transferred to the Stores for this purpose.) For the subsequent years his allowance may be raised to Rs.50/- per mensem and he may be required to make his own arrangements about his stock of medicines, from his earnings during the first year.

As regards charging for medicines, it is necessary to make it obligatory on him to treat the really poor free of charge,- persons having an income not more than Rs.600/- a year or paying an annual kandayam of not more than Rs.50/- being considered as poor for this purpose. Beyound this, no other restrictions seem to be called for or desirable. The continuance of the individual will depend on the nature of the appreciation of his work by the local public, whose opinion will serve as a measure of his usefulness.

Proper registers of admission of patients will have to be maintained and monthly abstracts and annual statistics will have to be submitted through the District Medical Officers concerned, for inclusion in the annual report of the department. The institutions may also be open to inspection by the District Medical Officers.

SECRETARIAT
7c, 1090
OCT. 1926

This may be approved

First Member
Hon'ble

First Secy.

Senior Surgeon.
1-10-1926.

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28-10-46

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67 According to Senior Surgeon's proposals for 8 institutions the cost will be.

1st year. 35 × 8 × 12 = 3360

300 × 8 = 2400

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Subsequent year. 50 × 8 × 12 = 4800.

The source is not pointed out. There is no provision for a compounder peon. I do not know if he is not being allowed in Madras & is not necessary here. This will mean addl. cost.

B.

5/10

Nil 8/5

The scheme deserves a trial, though one cannot be hopeful of its success under present conditions. In the matter of extension of medical relief the opinion in most parts the opinion of the District Boards may perhaps be obtained also.

The principle of sharing the charges of such experimental institutions with the local bodies in the same way as those of pucca dispensaries may be kept in view.

The source for meeting the cost has to be pointed out by the Senior Surgeon.

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6.10.46.

69 The Med. Budget has no funds. This may, if Govt approves, be sanctioned & add funds

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3982

for rem 9 months of the year
Brained at next meeting of L.C.

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Dewan. PR
10/10

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Received on
11. OCT. 1926
Reg. No. 2128

70

I have no objection to trying the experiment. One or two places may be selected in unhealthy areas.

71 No restriction is kept regarding the treatment of poor patients from this, as suggested by the S.S. It is left to them alone such things to the discretion of the medical practitioner.

JM
11.11.26

72 I wonder if any kind of supervision is exercised over the Ayurvedic & Unani dispensaries? How else it is to be known a man or men attached to the S.S.'s office is found with him, whether he tours & inspects these dispensaries. Little is Nothing is known now about the amount & nature of work done there. S.S. may be consulted.

JM
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D Menezes

12/11

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73 Dispatch forwarded
Lee 15/11
Lee 15/11

74
Draft Subs for consideration
C.S., A.S.
16/11/26 I minutes) MS 17/11

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75 Lee 22/11 76 Issue Lee 23/11

69 To The Senior Surgeon
No 45598 dt 26.11.26
States that Govt have no objection to two the experiment in one or two places and requests him to select one or two unhealthy areas and recommend the same to Govt for consideration &c.

Lee 29/11/26

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72

Letter No 9 C 360-31 dated the 20th Dec 1926 from the Senior Surgeon Imphal requesting sanction to open two experimental medical dispensaries one at Kundrun in the Kasom Valley (reduced) & the other at Khurkhul in the Jiri Valley (made from 1st January 1927) the cost during the current year not to exceed Rs 950 but recurring annual cost Rs 1200 in case orders are passed being in the interests of Manipuris under the Control of the Medical Deptt, the usefulness of these institutions cannot be ascertained Submit Sanctioned Proceedings C.S. 1/MSK orders at pages 68-70 supra. 30/12/26 Secy to Govt may be consulted re sanction of funds.

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Ref. Paras 70 to 72, Supra.

The F.S. proposes the opening of two rural dispensaries at Rendur. Hanamanthe & Hunnihalli Jamkhandi district. The additional cost involved, if these are sanctioned from 1st Jan. 1927, would be Rs 950. for medicines and grant in aids to the practitioners.

77 No funds are available in the budget. The additional grant will have to be sanctioned.

78 As regards the Control of Ayurvedic and Unani dispensaries, the F.S. is of opinion that these institutions should be brought under the control of the medical department.

Secy 21/12.

Secy)

81 The S. S. proposal to open two other rural dispensaries at Rundur and Amruttur may be approved and a demand for the necessary funds placed before the Feb.y Session of the L.C.

First Member RJ 22/12

First Secy 22/12

December) Secy 5/1/27 6/1/27 RJ 6/1

Is it not proposed to shortly introduce a Medical Practitioners Regn. This bill being taken into consideration should the matter not be left in connection with it? RJ 22/12

2153 29/12/26.

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I agree, & order my issue.

After issue it seem may please note Director under the new D.B. & P. Rep. Govt, & an Executive order place limit & Mgmt of Dispensaries maintained by local Bodies under the administrative or professional control of I.S.S. what the system in Madras may also be ascertained.

7/1/27.

draft. please

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draft for approval

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draft for approval

18/1/27

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Secy

CTV

General and Revenue Secretariat

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87 Dft may be approved. The file may perhaps be submitted to H H either before a after some progress as the matter is of some importance. D F N is also put up for consideration.

MD 19/1

25 MS 26/1

DEWAN'S OFFICE. Received on 29. JAN. 1927 No. 562

7869 26/1

First Member)

Final Note signed by the Minister, 27/1

With D S N

MD 28/1 MS 28/1

Dewan)

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Final Note by the First Member of Council.

Subject :—

Facilities for private Medical Practitioners to settle down in rural areas.

At the Budget and October Sessions of the Representative Assembly of 1925 as also at the Legislative Council in June 1926, the question of affording facilities to Private Medical Practitioners to settl down in rural areas to render medical aid to the people, was urged for the consideration of Government. The Senior Surgeon who was consulted in the matter suggested that as an experiment, the scheme may be tried in the current year in two places, viz., at Kundur in the Arkalgud taluk, and at Amrithur in the Kunigal taluk. He proposes that, to enable the Practitioners to start work, they may be supplied with medicines of the value of Rs.300 each and paid an allowance of Rs.35/each per mensem for a period of one year, the allowance being raised to Rs.50 per mensem thereafter and the Practitioners required to make their own arrangements about the stock of medicines from their earnings during the first year.

The District Board of Mysore is also taking similar action from its own funds. The question of giving our L.M.P.'s some further training in Sanitation and Elementary Engineering in order that they might be more useful in our scheme of rural reconstruction will also be investigated.

The draft of a Government Order approving of the Senior Surgeon's proposals which have been agreed to by the Dewan and myself, is now submitted for the gracious approval of His Highness.

K. Chandy

MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Bangalore,
28th January 1927.

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the First Member of Council on the subject of affording facilities for private Medical Practitioners to settle down in rural areas, for His Highness' gracious approval.

Mirza M. Ismail

29th January 1927
Bangalore.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Facilities for private Medical Practitioners to settle down in rural areas.

151
G.L. With Do letter No 72 dt 2/2-2-27

Order.

~~KRW~~
2/2/27

THE PALACE,

MYSORE.

February 2, 1927

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My dear Mirza,

I Mentioned to Compts. Sir Charles Sapru how much I owe, & acted upon 7.2.27

In returning herewith the file regarding the proposal to subsidise private medical practitioners, may I suggest that it would be well to get exact details of the nature of the similar experiments being conducted in Madras and Bombay? It appears to be assumed in the file that all they do is to subsidise private practitioners who settle down to earn a living by the practice of medicine in rural areas. I notice, however, that it is stated in the d.o.letter dated the 19th August 1926, from the Personal Assistant to Surgeon-General of Madras "that the rural dispensary is primarily intended for the free treatment of sick poor".

In making this suggestion, I am not suggesting for a moment that the Madras plan should be followed; I am only anxious that you should not advance a scheme derived from it on lines quite different from

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from those actually followed there; while at the same time it is quite possible that there is something to be learnt from their mistakes.

Yours sincerely,

G Edwards

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Med Sect

It is obviously intended by us also that the sick poor who attend the Dispensary shd be treated free: this shd be made clear in issued orders.

Please ask S.S. to set a copy of instructions issued to the medical practitioners to ensure that the sick poor that attend the Dispensary are treated free; & to find out whether the practitioners charge fees to those that are poor who attend Dispensary. Whether he is asked to attend by poor patients free or their houses if the cd not attend in person

whether any rading of the Dispy & whether if the question whether a person deserves free treatment is decided by the discretion of the Doctor or any standard or rules laid down

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C.S. 28K for please 3 to 4 p.m. as recd
9/2/27

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Myself draft Sabd
Sd. MSK
21/2/27

Ref. Members' address at para 99 supra.

Draft is put up for approval.

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Issued
MSK
11/2

25 To the Senior Surgeon HQ 58621
dt 12.2.27.

Requested him to obtain & forward certain information about opening naval dispensaries at Amritsar & Kasauli

MSK 22/2/27

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80	Letter No C 127-26 dated the 9th March 1927 from the President DLB, Hussain DL, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the DLB, Hussain DL about replacing certain Ayurvedic & Unani Medical institutions in the DL, by D. F. Dispensaries on a reduced scale of expenditure.
Flag D	Reference is invited to Senior Surgeon's letter No 9 C 3603 dated the 9th Dec 1925 wherein ~~that officer has stated~~ it is stated that he is corresponding with the President, DLB, Hussain about inducing qualified Drs to settle up as Vaidyas in places where DLB or Village Panchayats give grants & submit his recommendations on receipt of the President's views I shall send a copy of the President's letter forwarding

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with copies of its enclosures will be forwarded to the Senior Surgeon for opinion and for orders.

Sd/- [illegible]
30/3/17

110 The Hanwella District Board propose to convert certain Vaidyasalas into L.D. dispensaries on a reduced scale of pay. The exact nature of the scheme is not clear. The P.C. D is rather vague as to the exact nature of the change proposed. It is there a kind of cross between the usual L.D. dispensary, and a rural dispensary. It is not the same as the scheme for subsidizing medical men to settle down in villages.

111 The D.S. may perhaps be consulted, and he may be asked to obtain fuller details of this proposal.

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112 I attach in the file a copy of the letter to the D.P.H.

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114 Confdl. of the Senior Surgeon to the Govt. of the Province calling for the Surgeon's Office Official Confdl. File. Vide Secretariat Principal J.

M&K 6/4/27

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Gen. Secy

116 Please obtain the S. of opinion - Conf.

RM 7/4

117 Left Secretariat

116 Issue Reg 7/4

83 Letter No 4 10844 dated the 2nd April 1927 to the Senior Surgeon in response forwarding the Principal's letter for forwarding his opinion and the enclosed.

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82 Letter No 9 e 36-37 of 24-25 dated the 1st April 1927 from the Senior Surgeon Mysore forwarding a copy of a letter from the Personal Asst. the Surgeon General with the Govt of Madras furnishing the information called for in this office letter dated 12.2.1927. The file on the subject has been called in connection to the Elsey on 4.4.27. as Item 7186. 28 ofbd, this will be placed in the connected file when received back at the Secretariat.

8/4/27 I believe the file has been returned. Please put up with it.

9/4

Reference: Circular of the Joint Secretary of Commerce at Item 29 of the Weekly Abstract. Submitted for orders please.

Please put up the Blue Book Journal referred to above.

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Passed

123 Resubd with a copy of the Journal for Dec 1924 as desired

C.S. 11/4/25 24/1 Ref. Members minute at para 99 Supra.

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125 A.S. Please speak to me

RR 16/4.

126 Ref. Members orders at para 99 Supra.

A Sentence about the free treatment of the necessitous poor who resort to the dispensaries is added to para 3 of the draft, for Consideration.

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127 P.S. Hindi attachments circulated to page 118 of the Blue Book Journal for Dec. 1924.

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I Member)

I am sorry I have to note & complain that this Member does not know perspective. He should have Subd this draft for to after all a single fee add (Sentence) in two weeks instead 3 months. Where he will keep a week of important work pressh. He is responsible for such delays.

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Issue of ~~Standing~~ Send the file to Mr. Shashadri for perusal.

VR 27/4

KRS 27/4

The following note is respectfully submitted for kind consideration & orders:—

With reference to Memorandum of the Chief C.D. Officer approved personally by the First Member of Council it is submitted that it was put up during January 1927 for consideration on the presumption that the institutions would come into existence immediately and the cost of these institutions during the current year was calculated and fixed at Rs 950 as per Senior Surgeon's recommendation at the time. But as the Govt. order ## issues only

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now, the cost will be considerably less and hence the figure Rs 960 will therefore have to be reduced to about Rs 670 or so. If approved, the necessary change in the figure will be made & the order issued. ~~if approved.~~

The remark at para 4 of the dft G.O. has been filled up in consultation with the Audit Branch. Submitted for orders.

C.S.

22/4/27

Law. Secy.

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Figure may be changed & issued.

copy to Budget section for info.

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vide R. Secy's. initials at para 8 supra

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To Govt.:-
R. Com. pp 237 & 4/5

Enclosed

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To The Senior Surgeon
in Impress, Barbados

Date of issue 22/5/25

Signed by [illegible]

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the memorandum of a subject proposed to be brought forward for discussion at the budget session of the Representative Assembly of 1925, in the matter of affording encouragement to Private Medical Practitioners

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to settle claims in Villages and to request You to be good enough to furnish your views re taking measures in conformity with the ~~Bombay and~~ Madras and Bombay Schemes, immediately.

The Schemes of the Governments in question are printed at pages 717, 718, 719, 720, 994, 995, and 996 of the Supplementary Blue Book and Public Finance Journal. (Vol I No 7. Dec 24 & Vol I No 9 Nov 25)

Secretary to Govt
Land Revenue

CG.

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Dear Sir

Please refer to my/his office letter No 2836/Medl 47-24-21 dated the 22nd May 1925 requesting you to furnish your opinion re testing measures in conformity with the Madras & Bombay Schemes, in the matter of affording encouragement to Private Medical Practitioners to settle down in villages. ...

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~~Send enough to~~
I am desired to request you to kindly
furnish Your Opinion
in the matter, immediately.

Yours Sincerely

JMK
31/8/25

To
The Medical Officer of Health
Senior Surgeon of Hospitals

CG
31/8/25

Enc.....

in Mysore,

Camp - Mysore dated 1-10- 1925.

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From

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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10 OCT 1925

B. MAHOMED USMON, ESQ., L.M. & S.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government of Mysore,
Camp - MYSORE.

To

B. NAGAPPA, ESQ., Bar-at-Law,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Local and Legislative Departments, Camp - MYSORE.

Med 47-24-24

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. L.8367/Medl. 47-24-21 dated the 22nd May 1925, requesting me to give my opinion on the proposal to introduce in this State the system adopted by the Madras and Bombay Governments of subsidising qualified medical practitioners who would be willing to settle down and practice in villages far removed from existing dispensaries, I have the honor to state as follows :-

Mysore State with an area of 29,469 Sq. miles and a population of 58,59,952, has 200 medical institutions. Madras Presidency with its area of 1,43,852 Sq. miles and a population of 42,322,270, has 768 medical institutions, while Bombay which is 1,23,064 Sq. miles in extent and whose population is 26,757,648 has 785 medical institutions according to the reports for the year 1923. Thus when every institution in Mysore may be said to serve an area of 150 Sq. miles and 29,300 persons, in Madras each institution serves an area of 196 Sq. miles and a population of 55,107 on an average, the corresponding figures for Bombay being 157 Sq. miles and 34,137 persons for each institution. These figures clearly show that in the matter of medical aid the people of Mysore are placed decidedly at a better advantage than the people of either Madras or Bombay.

2. Again, the question of extension of medical aid in xuxx

rural areas was considered in all its aspects by a Special Committee appointed in 1919 and their recommendations approved of by Government in their Order No. G. 26855-65/Medl. 70-18-28 dated the 30th May 1919 included, among other matters, the opening of 110 new dispensaries in the different parts of the State, so that every Taluk may have at least two dispensaries. Against this number, 20 new dispensaries were opened up to the end of June 1925, and a provision of Rs.5,000/- is being made every year in the Medical Budget for opening new dispensaries and about three institutions are opened annually so that the programme laid down by the Committee will have been completed in another 30 years. This time limit could be reduced if financial conditions should render it possible to make a larger grant annually for the purpose than Rs.5,000/- at present allowed.

3. As regards the merits of the system proposed to be adopted in Bombay and in Madras, however suitable or advantageous it may be for these Presidencies, it does not seem to suit the conditions in Mysore which are totally different. In Madras and Bombay the people have been all along used to pay for medical service rendered. The profession in the higher grade is represented by I.M.S. Officers who are mostly aliens and even in the subordinate grades, Assistant Surgeons and Sub Assistant Surgeons belonging to, ~~a~~ say, a Telugu District, for instance, when posted to a Tamil or Kannada District are for all practical purposes strangers, and can follow the example set by their I.M.S. superiors, as regards charging for medical service rendered. In Mysore the material condition of the people is far from satisfactory and the masses in villages can hardly be expected to pay for medical ~~relief~~ aid. They have also been used to the idea that medical relief is a work of charity and as such, ought to be available free of cost. The result is that whenever Sub Assistant Surgeons in charge of outlying dispensaries happen to claim any remuneration for special work done outside their institution and working hours, complaints are received

occasions for complaints from the public. Such being the case with medical aid through regular dispensaries the consequences of sending out these young men with subsidy of 30 or 35 rupees to remote villages, can well be imagined. It will be impossible for these young men to keep out of the temptation of harrasing the poor villagers thrown on their mercy in order to supplement the grant received from Government and, altogether, the harm that will result is likely to outweigh by far the benefit.

4. Subsidised dispensaries at best will be of the nature of grant-in-aid Ayurvedic and Unani Dispensaries in their working but with this difference that the Doctor in the former will find it harder to make both ends meet and also run the Dispensaries as efficiently as regular Dispensaries. The public considering that the European system is adopted in both will expect equal facilities in such matters as the quality and stock of medicines, accommodation in beds &c., from these medical men in charge of subsidised dispensaries. I understand that the object of the proposed system is to bring medical relief as near as possible to the doors of the rural population. If the 90 dispensaries which are on the programme are soon established there will be one dispensary for every 101 Sq. miles and a population of 20,206, - with a radius of nearly 5.7 miles as against the standard of 7 miles obtaining in Ireland.

5. In discussing the subject I have, so far, not mentioned the development of indigenous medical aid - both Ayurvedic and Unani, which the several District Boards and Municipal Councils have been fostering by allotment of suitable grants annually in their budget. It is not unlikely that as years go by, the number of these institutions will go on increasing, so that side by side with the Government dispensaries, they serve - in their own way - to meet the demand for adequate medical relief in the State. At present, there are 109 Vedic and Unani Dispensaries in the State to which if

the existing 200 Government Hospitals and Dispensaries be added, there will be 309 institutions of all descriptions engaged in giving medical relief, which works out to one institution for every 95 Sq. miles and 18,964 persons on an average. After the establishment of the 90 regular dispensaries which are on the programme, there will be a total of at least 399 medical institutions each of which would serve a population of 14,686 and an area of 74 Sq. miles, having a radius of distance of 4.8 miles. Comparatively, therefore, there is not the same urgency in Mysore as there is in Bombay and Madras, to contrive special measures for medical relief such as have been proposed for adoption in those Presidencies.

6. All things considered I am of opinion that we might watch for some time and see what results are achieved in Madras and Bombay before taking as our model just a tentative scheme of as yet doubtful expediency.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Williamson

SENIOR SURGEON, M.G.

A.R.M.

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Date of issue 12/11/25

Signed by for T.L.S.

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Serial No. 25
No. 2/3458

To The Senior Surgeon
Rangoon, Rangoon.

Sir,

With reference to your the correspondence ending with your letter No 9.C. 360-1 dated the 18th October 1925 in the matter of affording facilities to qualified medical practitioners to settle down in rural careers,

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I am directed to state that there are now some L. Bs without appointments and to enquire why they should not be asked to set up as Vigilance in places where the Boards or Village Panchayets give grants, which may be withheld by Govt if proper Management is not necessary.

An early reply is requested.

I remain

Sir

Your obedient Servant

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C.S.

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Office of the Senior Surgeon, Mysore Govt.

Dated Bangalore, the 9th December 1925.

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From

GENL. & REV. SECTION. 10 DEC. TO G. D. SECTION.

S. Mahomed Usmon Esq., L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Local & Legislative Departments,
Bangalore.

Med 47-24-26.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.L.3453-Med.47-24-25, dated 12th November 1925, enquiring why the qualified L.M.Ps who are now without employment should not be asked to set up as Vaidyans in places where District Boards or Village Panchayats give grants, such grants being supplemented by Goverment if possible, I have the honor to report that the District Board President of the Hassan District, when I had met him recently, has agreed to employ qualified L.M.Ps instead of Vaidyans and has promised to send definite proposals in consultation with the Board at their next meeting. On receipt of his communication I shall submit the same to Government with my recommendations.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon.

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Office of the Senior Surgeon, H.E.H.

Dated Bangalore, 5th May 1926.

Lee/DF G.C.361-10

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter of this date on the subject of giving a trial in this State to the Madras System of subsidising Rural Medical Practitioners I beg to inform you that the scheme was ordered to be brought into effect "not later than the 1st January 1925" in that Presidency and must have been working just over a year. Information on its working will be available to the public only after reports on the same are received and reviewd by the Government. I have, however, addressed the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras in Exxx requesting him to favor me with available information on the working of the scheme in Madras, on receipt of which a further report will be submitted.

Yours sincerely,

M Hsmon

K. Chandy Esq., B.A.,
Member of Council,
Bangalore.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

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Bangalore,

May 5, 1926.

Dear Dr.Usman,

Please see your last reference in the matter of adopting the Madras system of grant-in-aid to medical practitioners in mofussil stations. Please ascertain how the system has been working in Madras, and let me have your further opinion, for submission to Dewan, whether it could be tried in a few places in Mysore.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. K. Chandy.

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File No. ~~47-29~~

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To The Secretary Sanit
Engineering Branch

Date of issue 7/6/26

Signed by Mr. I.V.J

Sir,

With reference to
correspondence end
with your letter No
360-14 dated the 2
May 1926 in which
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rural areas

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I am directed to request you to be so good as to obtain and furnish, as early as possible information as to how the Scheme has been working in Madras.

I have etc

Reg to Govt,
Medical & Sanitary Depts

HMK
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4/6/26

Resolution of Mr.Mohamed Abbas Khan proposed to be moved in the Representative Assembly in June 1926.

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"That in order to afford medical relief to the people in the rural parts, the Government be pleased to devise a scheme to give sufficient encouragement to qualified medical practitioners who would settle in villages and set their practice there."

Reply of Government.

~~That~~ The matter is under consideration.

CONFIDENTIAL.

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No 6295/Leg.

10th June 1926.

Dear Sir,

Kindly see Resolution No. 7 (copy enclosed) at the ensuing session of the Representative Assembly, recommending that mid-wives be appointed in every hobli in the State. With reference to this, the view of Government is that as ~~there~~ it is not likely ~~to be~~ that there will be sufficient work for a mid-wife in every hobli, and as trained hands and funds are not available, it is impracticable to give effect to the recommendation. I am to request you to be in charge of this resolution and put forward this view.

With reference to Resolution 15 (copy enclosed) recommending that encouragement should be given to qualified medical practitioners to settle down in villages, I am to request you to state that the proposal has the sympathy of Government and is under their consideration. You may also explain to the Assembly how the system works in Madras, if information is

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available.

Yours sincerely,

B. Md. Usmon, Esq., L.M. & S.,

Senior Surgeon with the Government

of Mysore, Bangalore.

THE MYSORE REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY

(June 1926.)

Resolutions.

7. This Assembly recommends to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja that midwives be appointed to every hobli of each taluk in the State.

Votes taken at yesterday's Council Meeting.

Mover.- Mr. J.Rudrappa, Tumkur Taluk.

Not practicable - no trained hands, no work, no funds. S.S. to be in charge. RR 6/6

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15. This Assembly recommends to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja that in order to afford medical relief to the people in the rural parts, the Government be pleased to devise a scheme to give sufficient encouragement to qualified medical practitioners who would settle in villages and set up their practice there.

Under consideration of Govt. ~~Maharaja~~ S.S. to be in charge. RR 10/6

Mover.- Mr. Mahomed Abbas Khan, Mahomedan Constituency.

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To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore.

G 10306 & 11.6.26.

S i r,

I am desired to invite your attention to Resolution No.15 to be moved at the ensuing Budget Session of the Representative Assembly that a scheme to be devised to encourage Medical Practioners to settle in villages for practice and to request that you may deal with the Resolution in the Assembly and inform the House that the matter is under the consideration of Government.

I have etc.,

~~Chief~~ Secretary to Govt.
Med & Agl Depts

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No. Confl/Camp/Gen/21

General and Revenue Secretariat

To

The Senior Surgeon
in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Date of issue 17-6-26

Signed by Mr. M. Venkatesa Iyengar

Sir,

I am directed to invite reference to Resolution No 11 to be moved at the ensuing budget session of ~~the Representative Assembly~~ the Legislative Council that a scheme be devised to encourage Private Medical Practitioners to settle

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A note on the
Subject may
be sent for the
information of
Govt. at once

Copy to Govt,
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Copy to R.W.L.C
+ Action for information

C.J.
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Office of the Senior Surgeon
in Mysore,

Camp, Mysore, dated the 22nd June 1926.

From

B. Mahomed Usmon, Esq., L.M. & S.,
Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Camp, Mysore.

To

R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Medical & Agric. Departments, Camp, Mysore.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herein a note on the resolution re: a scheme to be devised to encourage private medical practitioners to settle in rural parts to be moved in the ensuing Legislative Council as desired in your letter No. Camp 21 of the 17th Inst.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

B. Mahomed Usmon

Senior Surgeon, M.G.

N o t e.

The question of devising a scheme to induce medical practitioners to settle and set up practice in rural parts was a subject brought forward in the Budget Session at the Representative Assembly of 1925. It was explained that the main object of the motion was to encourage private medical practitioners to settle in villages and render medical aid to the people of the rural parts, who are badly in need of the same, if it is not possible to open sufficient number of Dispensaries.

The medical relief afforded to the people at rural parts is not so bad as is suggested especially when it is compared with that given in the Madras and Bombay Presidencies.

Mysore State with an area of 29,469 Sqr: miles and a population of 58,59,952 has 200 medical institutions. Madras Presidency with its area of 143,852 Sqr: miles and a population of 42,322,270 has 768 medical institutions while Bombay which is 123,064 Sqr: miles ~~in~~ in area and whose population is 26,757,648 has 785 medical institutions. Thus where every institution in Mysore may be said to serve an area of 150 Sqr: miles and 29,300 persons, in Madras, each institution serves an area of 196 Sqr: miles and a population of 55,107, on an average, the corresponding figures for Bombay being 157 Sqr: miles and 34,137 persons for each institution. These figures clearly show that the people of Mysore are decidedly placed at a better advantage than the people at either

either Madras or Bombay.

Besides, there are 109 Ayurvedic and Unani Dispensaries giving medical aid to the people.

The question of medical aid in rural parts was also considered by a Committee appointed in 1919 and they recommended among other things that 110 new dispensaries may be opened. Against this number, 32 dispensaries have already been opened up to May 1926 and 3 new dispensaries will be opened annually so that the programme of the Special Committee will be completed in another 26 years.

In the meantime, the question of the possibility of subsidising medical practitioners as in Madras is being closely investigated. The system has been in force in Madras for only a little over one year and a comprehensive review of the practical working of the scheme in that Presidency has not been received as yet. The Surgeon-General has been addressed in the matter and as soon as it is received, the matter will receive further consideration.

The success of subsidised dispensaries if established, will depend upon the readines with/the people will adjust themselves to the hitherto unaccustomed practice of having to pay not only to the medical man but also for the medicines.

Judging from the seriousness with which the objection is taken to the levy of a small fee of annas 2 from well-to-do persons that seek for routine treatment in the premier

cities of the State, one is inclined to question the propriety of thrusting an arrangement which is likely to touch the pocket of the poor villagers heavily. The only satisfactory arrangement is to multiply the number of regular dispensaries as speedily as funds permit.

Senior Surgeon, M.G.

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To

The Senior Surgeon

in Surgeon, Bangalore.

Date of issue 14/7/26

Signed by Mr. M.V.J

Sir

I am directed to invite reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No G C 360-4 dated the 26th May 1926 in the matter of giving facilities to qualified medical practitioners to settle down in rural areas

List of enclosures.....

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WD 01265—GPB—31,000—24-12-25

and to request you
to be so good as to
expedite the Issue
of Your report in the
matter.

I have the

Hon Secy to Govt.
Colonel H Hirschbell

E.B.
10/7/26.

No. G.C.360-24/24-25 Office of the Senior Surgeon in Mysor
Enc. Bangalore, dated 31st July 1926.

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon with the Govt. of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore,
Medical & Agriculrural Depts.,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. G.400/ Med.149-25, dated 14-7-1926, in the matter of giving facilities to qualified medical practitioners to settle down in rural areas, I have the honour to state that the extract of report, on the working of the rural dispensaries promised to be sent by the Personal Assistant to the Surgeon General, has not been received as yet. He has been reminded in the matter and requested to kindly expedite the same.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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SENIOR SURGEON.

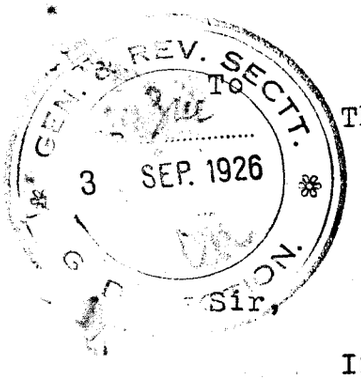
Bangalore, dated 2 September 1926.

No. G.C 360-29.
Enc. 2.

Med 49-25-62

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.



To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Medical and Agricultural Departments, Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. G. C. 360-24. dated 31-7-26, on the subject of subsidising rural medical practitioner, I have the honour to forward herewith, a copy of an extract from the Triennial Report on the working of Civil Hospitals and Dispensaries in Madras, relating to the working of the Rural Dispensaries, together with a statement showing the average daily attendance in the 183 such dispensaries which were working during 1925 and a copy of letter No.R. 1909-G. of 1926, dated 19th August 1926, giving further information on the subject.

It will be seen that against 235 dispensaries sanctioned up to the end of 1925, only 183 were opened and statistics relating to 21 were not available and four are noted as "since closed." The highest daily average is at 99.83 at Pallikondu in the North Arcot District and the lowest 1.29 at Tappalampuliyur, Tanjore District. Further, on account of local demand for extension of medical relief, more dispensaries are demanded and the conversion of the existing ones into permanent Local Fund Dispensaries is being pressed. No information is available as to how the system of having to pay for treatment has been appreciated. It has also been found that the rate of subsidy now granted, viz., Rs.400 per annum, has not, in some cases attracted suitable private practitioners.

In my letter No. G. C. 360-1, dated 1st October 1925, I had stated that Mysore had 200 medical institutions for an area of 29,469 sq. miles giving an average area of 150 sq. miles per institution. The number has since increased to 210, which diminishes the average area to be served by each institution to 140 sq. miles, in other words, each institution serves an area of less than 7 miles radius. The question

The question of opening five new dispensaries in maidan parts and an equal number under Malnad Improvement is in various stages of development and ten more dispensaries are likely to be opened during the current year and if this rate of increase be kept up, viz., 10 dispensaries in a year, the scheme sanctioned in Government Order No. G. 26855-65/Med. 18-28, dated 30th May 1919 will be fully realised in another eight years and the area of operation of each medical institution will be reduced to one of a circle with a radius of 5.7 miles, when the total number of institutions comes to 290 for the State.

In Madras, with the 183 rural dispensaries opened and the 768 old institutions referred to in my letter of 1st October 1925, the total number comes to 951 for an area of 1.43,852 sq. miles, giving an average of 151 sq. miles per institution, against 140 sq. miles per institution in Mysore, showing that even at present our State stands ahead of Madras in the matter of medical facilities provided for the population, leaving out of consideration the 110 Indigenous medical institutions receiving grants in aid from the Government and the local Boards.

I am, therefore, still of the opinion that there is not, in this State, the same urgency as in Madras for the adoption of special measures for extending medical relief through subsidised private practitioner setting in rural areas and that it would be better to open regular Local Fund Dispensaries at the rate of ten every year or more as funds may permit, under departmental control than permit the creation of these new kinds of institutions, the benefits of which at least so far as the poorer raiyats are concerned, will be doubtful.

If, however, the Government are disposed to give a trial to the system, I would suggest the opening of rural medical institutions in charge of qualified hands of the grade of Passed Medical Pupils on Rs.35/- and a supply of the most commonly used drugs at an annual cost of Rs.300/- the number of these Passed Medical Pupils being increased according to the number of new institutions to be opened, since the present number of 18 hads just serves the purpose of a reserve force.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

D.O. letter No. R. 1909 G of 1926, dated 19th August 1926 from the Presonal Assistant to the Surgeon-General in Madras, to the the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Bangalore.

Ref: Your D.O.No.G.C.360-20 of the 7th instant regarding certain information on the working of the rural dispensaries under the scheme of subsidised medical practitioners.

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The dispensaries already opened seem to have supplied a local demand for medical relief, because many local bodies have asked for the extension of the scheme and also for the conversion of the existing rural dispensaries into pucca local fund dispenssaries.

In view of the demand for these rural dispensaries, the Government have now sanctioned a maximum of three dispensaries for each Taluk Board area instead of two previously sanctioned This means a total of 330 for the Presidency.

2. The daily average attendance of each rural dispensary during the year 1925 is given in the Triennial Report of Hospitals and Dispensaries an extract of which is enclosed herewith.

3. The rural dispensary is primarily intended for the free treatment of sick poor. No information is available as to how far the system of having to pay for the medicines is appreciated by the general public.

4. No practical administrative difficulties appear to have arisen so far as dispensaries opened and actually working are concerned, but the subsidy sanctioned has not in some cases attracted suitable private medical practitioners. In such cases, the Government have no objection to local boards paying additional subsidies if necessary for their own funds.

"Copy."

Senior Surgeon.

List of rural dispensaries opened during the year 1925.

Number.	Name of the District.	Name of the village where the rural dispensary has been opened.	Daily average attendance
...	Ganjam	Amalapad.	31·13
		Bodokustoli.	31·01
...	Vizagapatam ...	Bhyrapuram.	24·00
		Buljipeta.	12·00
		Kota Uratla.	26·00
		Makkura.	20·40
		Kaniti.	14·99
		Lakavarupukota.	45·67
		Pandranki.	10·00
		Pudimadaka.	3·62
...	Godavari East ...	Nagalapalli.	12·18
		Kotantandur.	14·28
		Veeravaram.	33·03
		Katravalapalli.	26·80
		Kajuluru.	36·92
		Pedapudi.	13·00
		Ryali.	30·43
		Rajanagaram.	29·30
		Sitanagaram.	14·38
		Uppalagapatam.	31·82
		Antervedipalem. (not available)	
		Island Polavaram.	4·85
		Rayavaram. (not available)	
		Pamarru.	34·20
...	Godavari West ...	Attili.	41·69
		Dharmajigudem.	10·00
		Doddipaka.	9·66
		Ganapavaram.	11·00
		Gopalapuram.	11·93
		Khandamille.	15·32
		Matchapuri.	18·70
		Undi.	34·00
...	Kistna	Chantasala.	21·82
		Kalidindi.	6·99
		Kowtaram.	11·54
		Kondapali.	29·10
		Narasayapatam.	10·08
		Vadlamannadu.	29·73
		Vissannapeta.	26·02
...	Guntur	(8) Cherukupalli.	27·04
		Chimakurti.	
		Kollipara.	
		Nizampatam.	not available
		Pidugaralla.	
		Ravinutala.	
		Turumella.	
		Veludurti—(not opened).	58·98
...	Nellore	Chinakraka.	
		Chundi.	83·00
		Dachur.	4·06
		Kurichedu.	4·47
		Singarayakonda.	12·85
		Vidvalur.	22·36
		Survapalli.	
		Virur.	
...	Kurnool	Belagal	24·00
		Variakal.	13·00
		Velgode.	12·00
		Bethamcherla.	17·00
...	Bellary	Hirehal.	19·05
		Kovatalam.	16·02
		Moka.	18·94
		Narayanadarkeri.	10·95
		Gadiganur.	7·07
		Holalagondi.	16·59
...	Anantapur ...	(2) Amarapuram.	
		Kambadur.	45·08
		Pamidi.	31·28
		Tadimari and Yellamur.	
...	Cuddapah ...	Gangireddipalli.	15·00
		Koduru.	11·09
		Madhavaram.	11·33
		Muddanur.	31·46
		Penagalur.	6·78

Number.	Name of the District.	Name of the village where the rural dispensary has been opened.	Daily average attendance
...	North Arcot ...	(9) Desur.	24·90
		Kalavai (since closed).	14·92
		Kilvythinankuppam.	
		Natrampalli.	29·24
		Pallikondu.	99·83
		Perungathur.	
		Thanipadi (since closed).	13·76
		Vettavalam.	20·19
		Panapakkam ~~(not yet opened).~~	25·65
...	Chittoor	Melpadi.	12·21
		Venkatagirikota.	20·20
		Karvetinagar.	9·00
		Piler	
		Kothakota.	31·60
...	Chingleput ...	Acharapakam.	2·00
		Guduvancheri.	29·89
		Pallavaram.	14·00
		Manimangalam.	52·80
		Kilacheri.	14·20
		Chinnasalem (since closed).	14·00
	South Arcot ...	Kadambuliyur (since closed).	6·30
		Komaratchi.	21·61
		Kullanchavadi.	29·49
		Rettanai.	30·20
		Sirupakkam.	16·36
		Tiruvennainallur.	14·80
		Edai chittor (since closed).	17·80
			8·76
...	Salem	Mathur.	
		Mohanur.	30·80
		Namagiripeta.	22·44
		Papireddipatti.	26·00
		Rayakota.	9·95
		Thalli.	18·65
		Viraganur.	20·19
...	Coimbatore ...	Annur.	14·07
		Bungalow pudur.	12·61
		Karathaluvu.	26·41
		Kinathukaduvu.	4·63
		Kodumudi.	16·20
		Mulanur.	17·00
		Periyanaickenpalaiyam.	14·00
		Pongalur.	4·00
...	Trichinopoly ...	Inam Kolattur.	8·00
		Karai.	4·67
		Manachanallur.	28·22
		Arumbavur.	8·74
		Kulumani.	35·44
		Pullambadi.	16·00
		Uppiliyapuram.	8·95
		Thogamalai.	6·00
		Sendurai.	21·60
...	Tanjore	Aduthurai.	52·29
		Kapistalam.	43·96
		Talanayar.	6·52
		Tappalampuliyur.	1·29
		Manalmedu.	21·00
		Senganthi.	30·57
		Sengippatti.	17·00
		Thittacheri. 28·10	
		Thambikottai.	30·20
		Ammaiyappan.	10·53
		Kilayur.	23·00
		Kallaperambur.	17·40
		Grand Anicut.	3·62
		Tiruvengadu.	23·29
		Keeramangalam.	18·74
...	Madura	Attur.	17·05
		Cumbum.	25·60
		Gandamanayakanur.	17·37
		Kilavalavu.	9·11
		Kottampatti.	14·14
		Virupakshi.	24·36
...	Ramnad	Kallal.	
		Singampuneri.	
		Neikuppai.	not available
		Uppoor.	
		Narikudi.	

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Number.	Name of the District.	Name of the village where the rural dispensary has been opened.	daily average attendance.
...	Tinnevelly ...	Kalugumalai.	19.65
		Mulaikaraipatti.	22.24
		Palaiyakayal.	4.26
		Puliyangudi.	7.20
		Taruvai.	9.33
		Vadakarai Kilpidagai.	22.0
		Vallanad.	31.31
		Vizayanarayanam.	9.31
...	Malabar District ...	Velam.	3.44
		Mattanur.	17.65
		Kannoth.	13.30
		Kuttiadi.	35.43
		Payyoli.	18.30
		Kunnamangalam.	11.78
		Naduvanur.	6.00
		~~Attapadi~~	

Number.	Name of the District.	Name of the village where the rural Dispensary has been opened.	daily average attendance.
...	Malabar District ... cont.—	Kottakal.	5.18
		Parappanangadi.	17.51
		Kadambaipuram.	3.32
		Alanallur.	7.00
		Elappulli.	10.18
		Mattur.	11.09
		Valancherry.	13.00
		Madilagam.	17.90
		Cherukannu.	4.58
...	South Kanara.	Barkur.	31.19
		Kadaba.	11.56
		Naravi.	13.77
		Perdal.	25.60
		Punjalkatti.	33.66
		Shirva.	21.59
		Vittal.	16.41

APP. F. VI. Gl.]

SUBJECT.....

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Section Med

File No. 79-26

Serial No. 4

No. G. 3566

Encl. 1.

Diary No. of letter replied to 2666

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Secretary to

Sir,

Date of issue 2/10/26

Signed by Asst. Secy.

I am directed to forward herewith copy of a resolution proposed to be moved at the October Session of the Council of 1926 on the subject of [illegible] the appointment of a Committee to investigate the question of the provision of better medical relief in rural areas and to request you to favour Govt. with your opinion thereon as early as possible.

I have the

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Resolution

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Mr. Mohamed Abbas Khan

Mohammedan Constituency

That in order to afford medical relief to the people in the rural parts, the Government be pleased to devise a scheme to give sufficient encouragement to qualified medical practitioners who would settle in Villages and set their practice there.

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Office of the Senior Surgeon in Mysore,

Bangalore, dated 9th Oct. 1926.

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No. Q-C. 160-1

Enc. One

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. G. 3560/Med. 77-26-4, dated 2nd October 1926, I have the honour to state that the question of extension of medical relief in rural areas was exhaustively considered by a special Committee appointed by Government in 1919 and orders were passed thereon in No. G.26855-65/Med.70-18-28, dated 31st May 1920. Against 110 new dispensries therein recommended, new institutions have till now beenopened in 33 places and every attempt is being made to open more dispensaries as soon as the local bodies, who have to share in the expenditure, come forward with the necessary provision. My opinion in the question of subsidising private practitioners setting in villages has already been submitted to Government in the correspond-

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Govt Secretariat

correspondence ending with my letter No. G. C . 360-29, dated 2nd September 1926. In my opinion there is, therefore, little need for enquiry into this subject by any special committee as suggested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon.

List of Local Fund Dispensaries opened since 1919 in the several districts, till the end of June 1926.

Bangalore District.-	1.Vadigenhalli, 2.Sarjapur, 3.Solur.	3
Kolar District.-	1.Chintamani Female Dispensary, 2.Devarayasamudra.	2
Tumkur District.-	1.Nonavinkere, 2.Honnavalli.	2
Mysore District.-	1.Bedaguli, 2.Bettadapura, 3.Hura, 4.Arakere, 5.Akkihebbal, 6.Nisana, 7.Kagalvadi, 8.Bellur.	8
Chitaldrug Distt.-	1.Baramasagara	1
Hassan District.-	1.Halkur, 2.Hiresave, 3.Belagode, 4.Rayarkoppal, 5.Female Dispensary,Holenarsi- 6.pur and Saklespur, 7.Sravanabelgola 8.Kenchammanahosakote.	8
Kadur District.-	1.Hukkambudi, 2.Basarikatte 3.Gonibid.	3
Shimoga District.-	1.Agumbe, 2.Devangi, 3.Chandragutti, 4.Aralgode, 5.Yedur(Solegodue), 6.Tagarti.	6
	Total..	33.

Senior Surgeon.

correspondence ending with my letter No. G. C . 360-29, dated 2nd September 1926. In my opinion there is, therefore, little need for enquiry into this subject by any special committee as suggested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon.

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.

G 55983 26-11-26

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your Unofficial Note No.2 dated the 1st October 1926 in the matter of affording facilities to qualified medical practitioners to settle down in rural areas, I am directed to state that Government have no objection to try the experiment in one or two places on the scale of expenditure suggested by you, and to request you to be so good as to select one or two unhealthy areas and recommend the same to Government for consideration.

I am also to request you to be so good as to state whether any kind of supervision is, at present, exercised over the Ayurveidic and Unani Dispensaries now working in the State. If there is no such agency, ~~existing at present,~~ whether an officer could be attached to the Senior Surgeon's office to go round with you whenever tours of inspection of dispensaries are undertaken by you to inspect these institutions. Little or nothing is at present known about the amount or nature of work done by these institutions.

I have etc.,

General Secretary to Govt.

16/11/26

B.K.M.

Office of the Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore, dated 20th December 1926.

No. G.C. 360-31.
Enc.

Med 49-25-72

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

GEN. & REV. SEC. Fr. 20 DEC. 1926

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. G. 5598/Med. 49-25-69, dated 26th November 1926, I have the honour to state, that the question of opening new dispensaries in the marginally noted places has been under correspondence between this office and the District Board authorities concerned for some time. But as no provision exists for meeting the initial and recurring charges of regular Local Fund Dispensaries in the current year's budget, the matter has to wait till next budget time. I would therefore select (1) Kundur in the Hassan District and (2) Amrithur in the Tumkur District, for opening rural dispensaries as an experiment during the current year as desired by Government, without prejudice to the opening of pucca Local Fund Dispensaries in the places, when the Government and the local bodies are prepared to spare funds to meet their respective shares of expenditure. The cost during the current year, say, from 1st January 1927, will be Rs.600/- for the stock of medicines and Rs.35 x 2 x 5 or Rs.350 on account of allowance to the two hands who will be in charge, or Rs.950/- which may kindly be sanctioned as an additional grant.

I. Malnad.

1. Hampapur(Mysore Distt.)
2. Karimuddanahalli (")
3. Sirigeri(Shimoga Dist.)
4. Lingadahalli (Kadur Dt)
5. Kunduru (Hassan Distt)
6. Gendehalli (").

II. Maidan.

1. Turuvanur (Chitaldrug Dt)
2. Amrithur (Tumkur Distt.)
3. Talakad (Mysore Distt)

With reference to para 2 of your letter under reply, I beg to state that, at present, no kind of check appears to be exercis by the Medical Department over Indigenous Dispensaries, which are entirely under the control of the local bodies. Should the Governmen

Government be pleased to pass orders bringing these institutions under the disciplinary control of the Medical Department, their inspection by the respective District Medical Officers and by the Senior Surgeon could well be arranged without any extra hand (or rather two hands, one for Ayurvedic and another for Yunani institutions) to go round with me for the purpose.

Much could be done to enhance their usefulness by bringing them under regular periodical inspection, such as scrutiny of the nominal registers of daily out-patients treated, hours of attendance of the staff, and other aspects with a view to ascertain the extent of benefits given to the public by the Pandits or Hakims in charge, in return for the grant-in-aid received by them from the local bodies.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon.

Bangalore, dated 22nd February 1927.

To

The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No. G.C.360-31, dated the 20th December 1926 about opening rural dispensaries at Amritur and Kundur, I am directed to request you to obtain and forward a copy of the instructions, if any, issued to such rural Medical Practitioners in Madras, to ensure that the sick poor, that attend such dispensaries are treated free. Information may also kindly be obtained and furnished on the following points:-

(1) Whether the Practitioners in Madras are required to attend ~~very~~ poor patients free of charge at their houses within any fixed radius of the dispensary if they are unable to attend it;

(2) Whether the Practitioners could charge fees to those that are not poor, who attend the dispensary; and

(3) Whether the decision as to whether a person deserves free treatment or not is left to the discretion of the Practitioners

or whether any rule been laid down on -- this point.

I have, etc.,

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GENERAL SECY. TO GOVERNMENT.

E.W.M.

JM
9/10/17

Encl: Two. Off

Office of the President, District Board,

Hassan, Dated 9th March 192[illegible]

Med 42-26-89

From

N. S. Nanjundiah, Esq.,
President, District Board,
Hassan.

To

R.Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General Department, Bangalore.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMR. 2 1969 15 MAR. 1927 HASSAN

No 2-1969/26-27 dt 20/3/27.

Forwarded with compliments

Through the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District.

Dy comm Hassan

Sir,

I have the honor to state that on receipt of the letter No.G.C. 360, dated 16/17th March 1926, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore calling for final proposals in the matter of replacing the indigenous practitioners of certain Vydyasalas in the Hassan District by properly qualified L.M.P's. the same was first discussed by the Finance Committee who passed a resolution stating that the following Vydyasalas may be converted into L.F.Dispensaries on a reduced scale of pay substituting properly qualified L.M.P's. for Vydyana and Hakims, and further resolved that the Vydyasalas for Kundur or Ponnathapur be altered into a similar L.F.Dispensary to be located at Kundur and that two more institutions of the kind be opened at Marnahalli in Manjarabad Taluk and Madihalli in the Belur Taluk and further resolved that District Board do bear the cost of a compounder, Midwife and a servant and contingencies, the pay and allowances of the Sub Assistant Surgeons and the cost of Europe Medicines being borne by Government except inthe case of Malnad Improvement Vydyasalas converted as stated above, where the whole cost must be provided for out of Malnad Improvement funds.

The District Board at their meeting held on 10th April 1926, resolved that this will be discussed in detail at the

next meeting as opinion is divided on this question at present and, that the provision for substitution of L.F.Dispensaries for Vydyasalas may be altered and the old provision retained except in the case of Kundur.

Again, the District Board at their meeting held on 13th and 14th November 1926, discussed the subject and passed a resolution stating that the Board are of opinion that it is necessary to give whole hearted encouragement to the Ayurvedic and Unani system of medical treatment and that the medical men employed should be given pensions, leave allowances, grades, promotions and other prospects similar to those available to allopathic medical men and their system with adequate equipment in the Hospitals, the services should be made sufficiently attractive to induce competent persons to study and practice this system of medicine. Provision should also be made for efficient and regular supervision of their work. The present languishing condition of these indigenous institutions is due to the absence of facilities of the kind mentioned above, and they are unanimously of opinion that having regard to the existing condition of the institutions, the following Vydyasalas may also be converted into Dispensarie on the lines suggested by the Senior Surgeon in addition to that proposed for Kundur in the Alur Sub Taluk.

1.	Hassan Taluk	Bylahalli, Grama
2.	Belur "	Halebid, Kesgode M.I. Vydyasala and Gendehalli M.I.Vydyasala
3.	Arsikere.	Gandasi
4.	Chennarayapatna	Huggihalli
5.	Hole-Narsipur	Halli-Mysore
6.	Arkalgud	Mallipatna M.I.Vydyasala
7.	Alur	Ponnathapur.

At present the Board are incurring an expenditure of Rs 46 for each of the Vydyasalas and an extra amount of Rs 20 were Midwives have been attached. This sum can be made available for the new type dispensaries.

Under these circumstances, I request that you will be so good as to kindly obtain sanction of Government to convert the above said Vydyasalas into L.F.Dispensaries on a reduced scale of pay substituting properly qualified L.M.P's.

Copies of the resolutions of the Board are enclosed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President,
District Board, Hasaan.

Proceedings of the Sixth Ordinary meeting of the Hassan District Board, held on Saturday the 10th April 1926.

Present.

N.S.Nanjundiah, Esq., President, District Board, Hassan.

Ex-officio members. 5 Non-officials. 26.

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38. (17) Letter No.G.C.360,dated 16/17th March 26,of the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, re: final proposals of replacing the indigenous practitioners of certain Vydyasalas in the Hassan District by properly qualified L.M.P's.

Resolution of the Finance Committee:-

'The following Vydyasalas may be converted into Local Fund Dispensaries on a reduced scale by substituting properly qualified L.M.P's. for Vydyans and Hakims'.

1.	Hulikal	Arkalgud Taluk.
2.	Nittur.	Hassan "
3.	Bylahalli.	" "
4.	Nuggihalli	Chennarayapatna Taluk
5.	Halebid.	Belur Taluk
6.	Kesgode	" "
7.	Gendehalli	" "
8.	Gandasi	Arsikere "

'Further resolved that the Vydyasala for Kundur or Ponnathapur be altered into a similar Local Fund Dispensary to be located at Kundur, and that two more institutions of the kind be opened at Marnahalli in Manjarabad Taluk and Madihalli in Belur Taluk'

'Further resolved that District Board do bear the cost of a compounder, midwife and a servant and contingencies, the pay and allowances of the Sub Assistant Surgeons and the cost of Europe Medicines being borne by Government except in the case of Malnad Improvement Vydyasalas converted as stated above, where the whole cost must be provided for out of Malnad Improvement funds'.

Resolution. This will be discussed in detail at the next meeting as opinion is divided on this question at present.

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Sd. N.S.Nanjundiah,
President, District Board, Hassan.

"Extract".

President,
District Board, Hassan.

Proceedings of the Third ordinary meeting of the Hassan District Board, held on Saturday and Sunday the 13th and 14th Novr. 26.

Present.

M. S.Nanjundiah, Esq., President, District Board, Hassan.

Ex-officio members. 5 Non-officials. 29.

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6. (a) Senior Surgeon's letter about conversion of Vydyasalas into Local Fund Dispensary with details as to cost etc.

(b) Read also District Board Resolution No. 17, dated 10th April 1926 on the subject of conversion of these Vydyasalas into Local Fund Dispensaries.

Mr. S. Venkatesaiaya moved that the Senior Surgeon's proposal may be adopted, Mr. Mohamed Raza seconded the same.

Resolution. The Board are of opinion that it is necessary to give wholehearted encouragement to the Ayurvedic and Unani system of medical treatment and that the medical men employed should be given pensions, leave allowances, grades promotions and other prospects similar to those available to Allopathic medical men, and that system with adequate equipment in the hospitals.

The services should be made sufficiently attractive to induce competent persons to study and practice this system ~~with~~ of medicine. Provision should also be made for efficient and regular supervision of their work. The present languishing condition of these indigenous institutions is due to the absence of facilities of the kind mentioned above.

(2) The Board are unanimously of opinion that having regard to the existing condition of the institutions the following Vydyasalas may also be converted into Dispensaries on the lines suggested by the Senior Surgeon in addition to that proposed for Kundur in Alur Sub Taluk:-

Hassan Taluk.	1. Bylahalli
	2. Grama
	3. Halebid
Belur "	4. Kesgode M.I.Vydyasala
	5. Gendehalli do-
Arsikere "	6. Gandasi
Chennarayapatna	7. Nuggihalli
Hole-Narsipur	8. Halli-Mysore
Arkalgud	9. Mallipatna " "
Alur Sub Taluk.	10. Ponnathapur " "

Mr. A.V.Suryanarayanasetti moved that an Malnad Improvement Dispensary may be opened at Ballu in the Manjarabad Taluk and Mr. Malali Venkataramaiah seconded the proposition.

Resolution. The Kenchammana-Hoskote and Belgode people have not yet constructed necessary buildings as promised. The question of transferring them to other places will have to be taken up if they do not expedite the fulfilling of the promise.

The Board is of opinion that the consideration of a Malnad Improvement Dispensary for Ballu may be deferred, but in the meantime the Ballu people may be asked to furnish necessary mutchalika for the fulfilment of their offers in case a dispensary for the place is sanctioned.

Mr. H.Basavegowda moved and Iygoor Mallegowda seconded and passed unanimously.

Resolution. That a small malnad Improvement Dispensary on the lower scale may be recommended for being located in Marnahalli or Byagadihalli hobli and the place may be selected by a Committee consisting of Messrs. Malali Venkataramaiah Iygoor Mallegowda, Basavegowda and B.Nanjegowda.

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Sd. N.S.Nanjundiah,
President, District Board, Hasaan.

"Extract".

President,
District Board, Hassan.

Copy of D.O. letter No.G.C.360-4 (25-26), dated 6th February 1926, to the President, District Board, Hassan.

"It is believed that when you were last in Bangalore you gave the Senior Surgeon to understand that you had an idea of replacing the indigenous practitioners of certain Vaidyasalas in your District by qualified LMPs, and that you promised to send your proposals after consulting the District Board at the next meeting.

If any decision has been reached on this subject, the same may kindly be intimated to the Senior Surgeon at your earliest convenience."

Copy of D.O.letter No.G.C.360-(24-25), dated 17th March 1926 from the Senior Surgeon to the President, Dt.Board, Hassan.

"Please refer to my office D.O.letter No.G.C.360-4, dated the 6th February 1926. Will you kindly let me know when I may expect your final proposals on the suggestion made by you, of replacing the indigenous practitioners of certain Vaidyasalas in your District by properly qualified LMPs ? The Government have been sending me reminders for a final reply in the matter. Hence the necessity for expediting your reply to me."

MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. G.C360-379 24-25.
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Office of the Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore, 1st April. 1927.

Med 49-25-82

From

Dr. B. Mahomed Usmon, L.M.S.,
Senior Surgeon with the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of
Mysore, Bangalore.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.G. 8621/Med. 49-25-75, dated 12th February 1927, I have the honour to enclose a copy of letter No. R. 552 G, dated 15th March 1927, from the Personal Assistant to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, furnishing information on the several points in connection with the scheme of subsidised rural dispensaries in Madras.

(1) From the Madras Government Order No.1522/P.H. dated 22-10-24, (reporduced at Pp. 717-20, Mysore Blue Book Journal for December 1924) it is seen that one of the conditions of the grant of the subsidy is that the recipient agrees to "treat the necessitous poor free." Except this, no separate instructions in the matter have been issued by the Surgeon-General. It is also seen that this free treatment is restricted to poor patients resorting to the

dispensary

resorting to the dispensary for treatement and there are no rules requiring medical practitioners to attend on poor patients at their houses, free of charge.

As regards point No.(2) patients attending the dispensary are given free advice and treatment when their income is not more than Rs.50/- and free advice only where their monthly income does not exceed Rs.100/- medicines being required to be paid for at annas two on each occasion.

Point (3) Whether a person deserves free treatment or not is left to the discretion of the practitioner himself.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon.

Letter No. R. 552G of 27, dated 15th March 1927 from the Personal Assistant to the Surgen-General in Madras to the Senior Surgeon Mysore.

I am directed by the Surgeon-General to furnish you the following information seriatum:-(Ref: Your G.C.360-34-24-25, of 7th March "27)

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1. No separate instructions except those that are contained in Government Order No.1522/P.H. dated 22nd October 1924, have been issued from this office to the medical practitioners subsidised by Government under the rural scheme inasmuch as the actual working out of the scheme has been entrusted to the respective local boards.

2. In all medical institutions, whether Government, Municipal, Local Fund or Private, treatment is free to all sick poor. The President, District Board and the President, Taluk Boards, may, however, be addressed for definite rules if any in the matter.

3. (1) There is no rule under which private medical practitioners and Government medical officers and subordinates in Madras are required to attend on poor patients free at their residences in case they are unable to attend the medical institutions (Hospitals or dispensaries).

(2) All persons with an income not exceeding Rs.50/- per mensem are given medicines free of charge when they attend the hospial as out-patients. All other out-patients are required to pay annas two for medicines taken away by them in the out-patients Department, on each occasion. Medical advice, i.e., consultation, is free to those whose income does not exceed Rs.1200 a year or in other words who are not classed as well-to-do. As for inpatients please refer to rules 4 and 5 of the rules governing the levy of fees in State Hospitals embodied in paragraph 703 of the Civil Medical Code.

(3) Yes, but there are no rules on the point.

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Senior Surgeon.

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Section 2nd

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Serial No. 87

Diary No. of letter replied to. 7688

No. G/10944/C/3

To

The Secretary Govt

of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

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over

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 9/4/27

Signed by Mr. M S.

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Yours Very truly

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General Secretary to Govt.

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Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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